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**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Outcome: ANSTO
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DEST Question No. E1012_07

Senator Carr asked on 14 February 2007, EWRE Hansard page 25.

Question:

Discussions relating to siting of waste dump in Northern Territory

Senator CARR— It would be helpful to us if you could take it on notice to provide us details of the nature of your involvement.

Answer:

ANSTO has provided the following response:

Discussions relating to siting of waste dump in Northern Territory

Further to the response to question E721_07, ANSTO staff again met with Parsons Brinkerhoff and DEST staff on 12 December 2006.

In all of these discussions, ANSTO has provided only technical advice on the design of the Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Facility. ANSTO has not had any input to the siting of the facility.